



Docket No.: 1232-4442

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s)

Toshiyuki Matsumoto and Kyoji Tamura

Serial No.

09/075,885

Group Art Unit:

2851

Filed

: May 11, 1998

Examiner:

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For

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IMAGE SENSING APPARATUS THEREFOR

Mail Stop COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

This Amendment and Request for Reconsideration is submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2003. A Petition for a three month Extension of Time (with authorization to charge the requisite fee to deposit account) is filed concurrently herewith, extending the time for responding until March 15, 2004.

Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.

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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

| Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application | Transmitted | herewith is | an Amend | ment for the | above-identi | fied application |
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No additional fee is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments | Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------|------------------|-------------------|
| Total Claims* | 36 - | 30 | 6 | \$18.00/ \$9.00 | \$ 108.00 |
| Independent Claims | 16 - | 9 | 7 | \$84.00/ \$42.00 | \$ 588.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | (If claims adde Claim(s) and the application before \$140.00 for sn | \$ | | | |
| | | | | TOTAL | \$ 696.00 |

^{*}Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

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| | Small entity status is or has been claimed. Reduced Fees Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) paid herewith \$ | | | |
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| | Pages Sequence Listing | | | |
| | Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing | | | |
| | Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same. | | | |
| | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is attached. | | | |
| \boxtimes_{α} | Charge fee to Deposit Account No. <u>13-4500</u> , Order No. <u>1232-4442</u> . DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED . | | | |
| X | The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this amendment, including all fees pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 for its timely consideration, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1232-4442. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED. | | | |
| Dated: | Respectfully submitted, MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P. By: Stephen J. Manetta Registration No. 40,426 | | | |
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